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TO O. PEARL LIGHT

L. L. Light vs. O. Pearl Light
State of Tennessee, in Chancery
Court of Knox County. No. 15892
In this cause, it appearing from the bill filed which is sworn to, that the defendant, O. Pearl Light, is a non-resident of the State of Tennessee, so that the ordinary process cannot be served upon her it is ordered that said defendant appear before the Chancery Court, at Knoxville, Tennessee, on or before the 1st Monday of May next, and make defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed and the cause set for hearing ex parte as to her. This notice will be published in the Knoxville Independent for four consecutive weeks.
This 22nd day of March 1918
J. C. FORD, Clerk & Master.Chas. M. Roberts, Sol.
Mar. 23 30 Apr. 6 13 1918

TO ALICE SMITH

Harrison Smith vs. Alice Smith
State of Tennessee, in Chancery
Court of Knox County. No. 15890
In this cause, it appearing from the bill filed which is sworn to, that the defendant Alice Smith is a non-resident of the State of Tennessee, so that the ordinary process cannot be served upon her it is ordered that said defendant appear before the Chancery Court, at Knoxville, Tennessee, on or before the 1st Monday of May next, and make defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed and the cause set for hearing ex parte as to her. This notice will be published in the Knoxville Independent for four consecutive weeks.
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TO FRED RODGERS

Dona Elmer Rodgers vs. Fred Rodgers
State of Tennessee, in Chancery Court
of Knox County. No. 15883.In this cause it appearing from the bill filed, which is sworn to, that the defendant, Fred Rodgers is a non-resident of the State of Tennessee, so that the ordinary process cannot be served upon him, it is ordered that said defendant appear before the Chancery Court at Knoxville, Tennessee, on or before the first Monday of May next, and make defense to said bill or the same will be taken for confessed and the cause set for hearing ex parte as to him. This notice will be published in the Knoxville Independent for four successive weeks.
This 23rd day of March, 1918
J. C. FORD, C. & M.Frank Sanders, Sol.
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Non-Resident Attachment Notice

T. B. Harben vs. Theb Thom alias
No. 14391Before J. R. Ailor, Justice of the Peace, for Knox County, Tenn.
In this cause it appears by the affidavit that the defendant, Theb Thom alias is justly indebted to the plaintiff and is a non-resident of the state of Tennessee, so that the ordinary process cannot be served upon him, and an original attachment having issued and returned to me with levy on his property, it is therefore ordered that publication be made in the Knoxville Independent, a newspaper published in the city of Knoxville, for four consecutive weeks commanding the defendant, to appear before me at my office in Knoxville on April 26th, 1918 at 12 o'clock m., and make defense to said suit or it will be proceeded with ex parte.
This 30th day of March, 1918
J. R. Ailor, Justice of the Peace
For Knox County, Tennessee
Mar. 30 Apr. 6 12 20 1918

NON-RESIDENT ATTACHMENT NOTICE

TO ELLEN H. FLOWERS

W. P. Toms vs. W. E. Cooper et al.
State of Tennessee, in Chancery Court
of Knox County. No. 15733In this cause, it appearing from the bill filed, which is sworn to, that the defendant Ellen H. Flowers is justly indebted to W. P. Toms, and owns an interest in the property described in the bill and is a non-resident of the State of Tennessee, so that the ordinary process of law cannot be served upon her and an attachment having been issued and levied on the defendants' property, it is ordered that said defendant appear before the Chancery Court, at Knoxville, Tennessee, on or before the first Monday of May next, and make defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed and the cause set for hearing ex parte as to her. This notice will be published in the Knoxville Independent for four consecutive weeks.
This 28th day of March, 1918
J. C. FORD, Clerk & Master.
Cornick, Frantz, McConnell & Seymour, Sols.
Mar. 30 Apr. 6 13 20 1918

TO WALTER L. JENKINS

Mattie Louisa Jenkins vs. Walter L. Jenkins
State of Tennessee, in Chancery
Court of Knox County. No. 15899In this cause, it appearing from the bill filed which is sworn to, that the defendant, Walter L. Jenkins is a non-resident of the State of Tennessee, so that the ordinary process cannot be served upon him, it is ordered that said defendant appear before the Chancery Court, at Knoxville, Tennessee, on or before the 1st Monday of May next, and make defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed and the cause set for hearing ex parte as to him. This notice will be published in the KNOXVILLE INDEPENDENT for four successive weeks. This 28 day of March 1918
J. C. Ford, Clerk & Master.
Steinmetz & Mitchell, Sols.
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TO ECKLE HUMPHRIES

Pauline Humphries vs. Eckle Humphries
State of Tennessee, in Chancery
Court of Knox County No. 15916In this cause, it appearing from the bill filed, which is sworn to, that the defendant Eckle Humphries is a non-resident of the State of Tennessee, so that the ordinary process cannot be served upon him, it is ordered that said defendant appear before the Chancery Court, at Knoxville, Tennessee, on or before the 1st Monday of May next, and make defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed and the cause set for hearing ex parte as to her. This notice will be published in the Knoxville Independent for four successive weeks.
This 6th day of April 1918
J. C. Ford, C. & M.
CHAS. M. ROBERTS, Sol.
April 6-13-20 27 1918This 6th day of April 1918
J. C. Ford, C. & M.
CHAS. M. ROBERTS, Sol.
April 6-13-20 27 1918

TENNESSEE

BRIEFLY TOLD EVENTS
OF THE STATE

Selmer.—A very peculiar accident happened at the home of Pete Smallwood, a farmer living about seven miles from Selmer. A gun fell from a rack, being discharged by the fall, and shot two little children who were playing in an adjoining room. The load went through a door, which accounts for the children not being killed.

McMinnville.—Deputy Sheriff Jesse Nunley, while riding from town on horseback, met William (Bum) Gardner and J. C. Coppinger in a buggy. Gardner and Nunley became engaged in an altercation and Nunley fired two shots which took effect in Gardner's breast and side, from the effects of which he died in a few hours.

Nashville.—Lieut. George Litton Howe of the American Red Cross has left on his return trip to France, where he goes to re-enter the service after a furlough of several weeks, during which time he visited his relatives here, following the death of his father, the late J. Harry Howe.

Bethpage.—Haden Wakefield, owner of the famous Rock House Inn in the old stage days, situated on the Scottsville turnpike, has sold to the trustees of Bledsoe Baptist church an acre of land on which they will shortly erect a modern church.

Knoxville.—A theological seminary costing not less than \$200,000 may be built in Knoxville in the near future by the Cumberland Presbyterian church, the movement to be supported by this religious body throughout the nation.

Knoxville.—Ed M. Gillenwaters, state fire prevention commissioner, issued a statement in which he urged that special precautions be taken to prevent loss of property from fires during the period of the war.

Nashville.—Passenger trains of the Tennessee Central Railroad at Nashville will shortly be handled through the Union Station of the Nashville, Chattanooga & St. Louis Railway and the Louisville & Nashville Railroad.

Selmer.—Leonard J. Kerr, farm demonstrator for McNairy county, has completed the work of club organization. More than 60 boys have been enlisted in the corn clubs and 40 have joined the pig clubs.

Chattanooga.—The act of the last general assembly redistricting Hamilton county and reducing the members of the county court to seven, has been declared unconstitutional by local attorneys.

Knoxville.—The Fifth Tennessee Infantry will possibly be called into federal service at an early date, according to Capt. N. E. Logan, who is making a special effort for additional enlistments.

Union City.—Perfecting plans for a wide-sweeping drive this summer, women extension agents of the Agricultural department, representing every county in West Tennessee, met here.

Clarksville.—Jim Bryant, charged with killing Henry Baggett at the home of the defendant, near Palmyra, in October, 1915, was found guilty of murder in the second degree.

Knoxville.—The division of extension of the University of Tennessee has listed at the request of Tennessee farmers 20,000 bushels of seed corn of various standard varieties.

Knoxville.—Lieut. Claude O. Lowe of Knoxville, assigned as an aviation instructor and in charge of a flying squadron at Arcadia, Fla., is dead from injuries received in a fall.

Newbern.—The women and children of Dyer county have done more in the interest of the Red Cross campaign and the Thrift stamp sale than the men over the county.

Newbern.—Farmers throughout Dyer county are further advanced when their plowing this spring than was ever known before in the history of the county.

Clarksville.—The Middle Tennessee Baptist Sunday school convention will meet in Clarksville April 17 and continue three days.

Knoxville.—Rev. Thomas Asburn of Knoxville has accepted a call to the Cumberland Presbyterian church at Dyersburg.

Dyersburg.—The Association of Ice Manufacturers of West Tennessee which met in session here was largely attended.

Knoxville.—The German language will not be taught in Knox county schools after the present term.

Union City.—The West Tennessee fair grounds was sold at auction to former Mayor J. A. Coble for \$11,000. The grounds consist of 32 acres, has park, race track and grand stand, cattle and horse stables and woman's building.

Selmer.—The fifty-sixth anniversary of the memorable battle of Shiloh will be observed with appropriate programs in the pavilion on Shiloh National Military Park Saturday and Sunday, April 6-7. The exercises will be under the direction of the Survivors of the Battle of Shiloh Association.

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FLETCHER'S BILL.Senator is Aiming at Enemy Activities
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After the War—Board Thwarts Efforts of Teuton Capitalists.

Washington.—Vast extension of Federal powers over shipbuilding, shipping rates, docks and terminals has been asked of the Congress by the Shipping Board, and is proposed in two bills introduced by Senator Fletcher, of Florida, Chairman of the Commerce Committee, after conference with Chairman Hurley. The President would be authorized by the legislation to prescribe through the Shipping Board charter and freight rates and to take over ships, docks, wharves and terminal facilities in one bill, and the second measure, amending the law creating the Shipping Board, would extend its authority over ownership and transfer of vessels, existing or under construction. Both bills have been referred to the Commerce Committee.

In explaining the new legislation Senator Fletcher said the Shipping Board had discovered and thwarted attempts of German capital to obtain control of vessels owned or under construction in the United States, for present profit as well as to provide Germany with a merchant fleet after the war. To enlarge the powers of the board to deal with such attempts is one of the chief purposes of the proposed law. Besides authorizing the President to prescribe "rates, terms and conditions" under which American vessels may be chartered, one of the bills would authorize him to disapprove existing charters, prohibit chartering of any specified class of vessels, coastwise or ocean going; to prescribe in any United States port "rates charges and terms for dockage, wharfage, stevedoring, handling and bunkering of vessels" and rentals of docks and terminal facilities.

Recommend To Stop Egg Business.

New York.—The Federal Food Board of New York recommended to Food Administrator Hoover that the New York branch of Swift & Company be suspended from all transactions in eggs for a period of 30 days, as a result of the firm's buying and selling eggs at a higher price than that fixed by the Food Board. A like recommendation was made in the case of C. H. Zinn & Co., who purchased the eggs for Swift & Co. The telegram to Mr. Hoover also recommended that Swift & Co. refund through a contribution to the Federal Government's war effort, such as the Red Cross, the excess charge to the public, amounting to approximately \$6,000.

To Take Up Claims Free.

Washington.—Lawyers in each community will assist soldiers' or sailors' dependents in collecting war risk insurance claims without charge, under an agreement between the American Bar Association and Secretary McAdoo. This method was adopted as a means of preventing fraudulent claim agents from preying upon the families of soldiers or sailors killed or injured.

American Filers Aid.

London.—The British War Office pays a high compliment to American airmen in the official statement issued on aerial operations. "During the last fortnight of intense fighting in the air," says the statement, "the assistance rendered by the personnel of the American Air Service, attached to the Royal Air Service, has been invaluable."

Costa Rica Has Revolt.

Managua, Nicaragua.—A revolution has broken out in Southern Costa Rica. Jorge Vollo has invaded Costa Rican territory from Panama, and a force under him is attacking Villa Conception Perez, a town on the frontier. The Costa Rican Government believes many of the invaders are natives of Panama.

Troops Are Landed in Finland.

Amsterdam.—A Berlin official communication received here reports the landing of troops in Finland. The statement says: "Part of our naval forces, after a difficult passage through the ice and mine fields, landed troops destined to give help to Finland, at Hangö."

Soldiers' Work on Farms Explained.

Washington.—An outline of the procedure by which soldiers may be furloughed for work on farms was made public by the War Department. Applications may be made by the soldiers themselves, their relatives or by farmers desiring their services.

Trying to Create Discord.

Washington.—American Government officials and the Entente peace hawks saw another Teutonic peace offensive in the reported speech of Count Czernin, Austro-Hungarian Foreign Minister, declaring recently negotiations were near between the Austrian and the allied governments. The move, evidently conceived in Germany, they said was made just as it became certain that the German drive in the west had failed of its purpose and was intended to bring discord among the allied Powers and to cause discontent. Send us your job printing. We do Job Printing at Fair Prices.

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TO LESTER JOLLEY

Reather Jolley vs. Lester Jolley
State of Tennessee, in Chancery
Court of Knox County. No. 15919In this cause, it appearing from the bill filed, which is sworn to, that the defendant Lester Jolley is a non-resident of Tennessee, so that the ordinary process cannot be served upon him, it is ordered that said defendant appear before the Chancery Court, at Knoxville, Tennessee, on or before the first Monday of May next, and make defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed and the cause set for hearing ex parte as to him. This notice will be published in the Knoxville Independent for four consecutive weeks.
This 31st day of April, 1918
J. C. Ford, Clerk & Master
ATCHLEY & BIBB, Sols.
April 6-13-20-27-1918

TO ALICE SHOOK COLBERT

Wiley O. Colbert vs. Alice Shook Colbert
State of Tennessee, in Chancery
Court of Knox County. No. 15911In this cause, it appearing from the bill filed, which is sworn to, that the defendant, Alice Shook Colbert is a non-resident of the State of Tennessee, so that the ordinary process cannot be served upon her, it is ordered that said defendant appear before the Chancery Court, at Knoxville, Tennessee, on or before the first Monday of May next, and make defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed and the cause set for hearing ex parte as to her. This notice will be published in the KNOXVILLE INDEPENDENT for four successive weeks.
This third day of April 1918
J. C. FORD, C. & M.
F. E. Laughead, Sol.
April 6-13-20-27-1918

TO MARGARET STUBBS

W. N. Stubbs vs. Margaret Stubbs
State of Tennessee, in Chancery
Court of Knox County. No. 15912In this cause, it appearing from the bill filed, which is sworn to, that the defendant Margaret Stubbs is a non-resident of the state of Tennessee, so that the ordinary process cannot be served upon her, it is ordered that said defendant appear before the Chancery Court, at Knoxville, Tennessee, on or before the 1st Monday of May next, and make defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed and the cause set for hearing ex parte as to her. This notice will be published in the KNOXVILLE INDEPENDENT for four successive weeks.
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April 6-13-20-27-1918

TO JESSIE MAY WRIGHT

L. M. Wright vs. Jessie Mae Wright
State of Tennessee, in the Chancery
Court of Knox Co. No. 15918In this cause, it appearing from the bill filed, which is sworn to, that the defendant Jessie Mae Wright and L. C. Burn it are non-residents of Tennessee, so that the ordinary process cannot be served upon them, it is ordered that said defendants appear before the Chancery Court, at Knoxville, Tennessee, on or before the first Monday of May next, and make defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed and the cause set for hearing ex parte as to them. It is further ordered that this notice be published for four consecutive weeks in the Knoxville Independent.
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VARIOUS SCHEMES IN EFFECT

Bonus Plan, on a Fluctuating Scale,
Adopted by Some—Detroit Establishment
Furnishes Groceries at Cost—
Other News and Views of Interest
in Industrial World.

In these days of industrial abnormality and unrest employers are perhaps most deeply concerned with the problem of how to keep workers in their employ. Most appropriate is the doctrine expressed by a writer in the Survey, who pertinently says: "If the wage earner is to be kept on the job, means must be taken to make the job worth while." He finds that wages are vastly important in this reckoning. For example, wages of United States Steel corporation workers have been repeatedly increased the last two years—50 per cent, indeed, in 21 months. But, checking against that the increased cost of food at wholesale, one finds an advance of 123 per cent.

So certain industrial and commercial concerns have sought means of advancing wages automatically to correspond with increases in the cost of living. One of these is cited which adopted a bonus plan whereby each employee rated at less than \$2,000 a year receives in addition to his regular pay a "high cost of living envelope," the contents of which fluctuate with changes in prices. Thus in January, 1917, these envelopes contained an additional 10 per cent based on regular wages and in December last the bonus was 32.70 per cent. Others have established similar methods.

A large concern in Detroit found in 1916 that it was having difficulty in keeping its men. Following an investigation, wages were elevated to meet the company's estimate of the minimum cost of living for a family of standard size. Thereupon prices in the stores thereabouts were elevated to absorb all this increase. That situation was met by the company's starting a grocery store of its own and selling to employees at cost. In this fashion it is possible to make a check at all times on the cost of living. The minimum living wage was found last summer to be \$1,200 per annum.

In a Syracuse plant, which has likewise taken means for determining what it cost workers and their families to live and has adjusted wages to meet this cost, revision of wages is made every three months.

Means of giving added purchasing power to the worker's dollar are likewise mentioned. Among them is the somewhat prevalent plan in the middle West of establishing grocery stores in industrial plants where employees may obtain food at cost.

The Survey writer deems it an encouraging sign when corporations realize so clearly their obligation "to pay a living wage that they are unwilling any longer to leave the determination of the amount to the blind law of supply and demand." The effect of the movement thus begun will outlive the war, he thinks.